Mountain Weather Forecast

North Grampian

Including North and West Cairngorms National Park, Monadhliath, Ben Alder, Creag Meagaidh, Loch Ericht and Loch Rannoch
Forecast valid from 06:00 on Monday 09 Aug 2021 until 23:59 on Tuesday 10 Aug 2021

Forecast Issued on Monday 09 Aug 2021 at 02:51 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: Medium due to changeable conditions this week.

Headline for Monday 09 Aug 2021: Bright spells developing in the morning, but scattered heavy and perhaps thundery afternoon showers.

Mountain weather hazards on Monday 09 Aug 2021

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy Snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Gales
No Likelihood

Severe chill effect
No Likelihood

Poor visibility
Low Likelihood

Thunderstorms
Medium Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
Low Likelihood

Strong sunlight
Medium Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Cloudy	Sunny intervals	Light rain showers	Heavy rain showers	Light rain showers	Partly cloudy (night)
Precipitation probability					
20%	20%	40%	40%	30%	20%

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Weather: Any low cloud and mist soon lifting and clearing this morning with bright or sunny spells. However, scattered showers developing, these heavy through the afternoon and early evening with the risk of thunderstorms.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 40% rising to 80% in the afternoon.

Visibility: Mainly very good, but moderate or poor in heavy showers and any early mist and low cloud. Occasional or extensive cloud, well down at first with base 600m or less, but lifting and breaking above the summits in the afternoon, although lowering onto the tops in heavy showers. Showers gradually dying out in the evening.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1300	8/10 N	5/7 NW	5/9 NW	9/13 NW	7/10 N	7/10 N	8/11 N
900	5/6 N	4/6 NW	5/8 NW	7/10 W	4/7 NW	5/6 NE	5/7 NE
600	3/4 N	3/5 NW	4/7 W	6/10 W	4/7 NE	3/5 NW	3/5 NE
300	2/3 N	1/3 SW	4/8 NW	4/9 W	4/7 NE	3/5 NE	2/5 NW
Glen	2/5 NW	3/6 SW	4/9 N	5/11 NW	3/8 N	2/4 NW	2/6 NW

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1300	6/3	7/5	9/7	8/5	8/6	6/4	6/3
900	8/7	9/8	11/10	11/10	10/10	9/8	8/7
600	10/10	11/11	14/13	13/12	13/12	11/11	11/10
300	12/11	14/14	16/16	16/16	15/14	13/13	12/12
Glen	11/11	14/14	18/17	18/17	16/16	14/14	12/12
Freezing Level*	2200m	2200m	2300m	2300m	2300m	2300m	2300m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View
Nothing further to add.

Forecast for Tuesday 10 Aug 2021
Weather: Mostly dry and rather cloudy overnight, but the odd shower possible with some low cloud and mist. Any low cloud and mist lifting and breaking during the morning to leave some bright spells. However, further heavy and slow moving showers developing, these most likely in the east of the park.

Maximum wind: West or Southwest 5 to 10mph

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 40% becoming 80% by afternoon.

Visibility: Mostly very good, but poor or very poor in any morning low cloud and mist. Also heavy showers. Occasional or extensive cloud, base 600 to 900m, rising near or above the summits in the afternoon.

Temperature: **Glens:** Plus 12 Celsius rising to 19 Celsius
At 800m: Plus 8 to 11 Celsius
Freezing level: Above the summits.

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